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22	v. TESLA, INC. dba TESLA MOTORS, INC.;	SCOPE OF ANTICIPATED TESTIMONY OF MICHAEL WHEELER		
23 24	Defendant.	Trial Date: March 27, 2023 Complaint filed: October 16, 2017		

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employment with Defendant Tesla.¹ This testimony demonstrates, as Mr. Diaz would testify at trial, that he became aware of the "feces incident" shortly after that incident occurred and that he believed it was racial harassment.

Plaintiff also provides the Court with Mr. Wheeler's prior deposition and trial testimony concerning his experience of the incident, the numerous complaints he made about it to his supervisors at Tesla, and that he informed Mr. Diaz of the incident.

Diaz, Owen, Deposition 12/03/2018, Vol. II:

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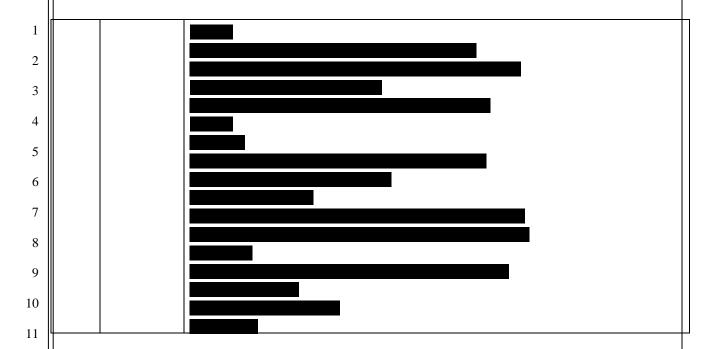
¹ Plaintiff also directs the Court's attention to his Opposition to Tesla's Motions *in Limine*, Dkt 391, at 22-23, in which Mr. Diaz explained the many *additional* reasons why the feces incident is relevant to both compensatory and punitive damages. The Court already denied Tesla's motions *in limine* on this issue and Tesla offers no new reason why this evidence, admitted at the first trial, should be excluded at the second trial.



This testimony is attached as Exhibit 1 to the supplemental declaration of Cimone Nunley, filed concurrently herewith.

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PLAINTIFF'S PROFFER OF TESTIMONY OF OWEN DIAZ RE: SCOPE OF ANTICIPATED TESTIMONY OF MICHAEL WHEELER



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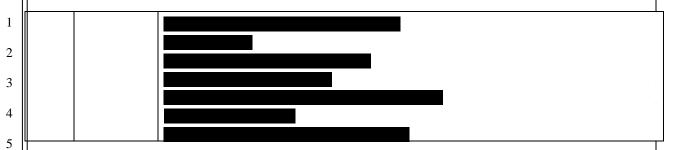
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Wheeler, Michael, Deposition 6/12/2019:

#	Lines	Deposition Excerpt	
1.	54:9-18	9 Q. Okay. Let me let's go incident by	
		10 incident.	
		11 So you told Owen about an incident where	
		12 someone had put some feces in your seat; is that	
		13 right?	
		14 A. I told everyone about that incident. I	
		15 sent out a very long email to Victor and anyone on	
		16 that thread, asking and security as well, asking	
		17 for them to check the cameras because this is	
		18 unacceptable.	

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Wheeler, Michael, Jury Trial Proceedings 9/29/2021, Vol. 3:

#	Lines	Trial Testimony Excerpt	
1.	432:10-	10 Q. Now, is there any other incident that occurred to you	
	433:10	11 inside the workplace that you believed was racially motivated	
		12 directed towards you?	
		13 A. Yes.	
		14 Q. And can you describe that incident?	
		15 A. There was a night I had taken there was a night I had	
		16 taken lunch, and I was on my lunch for about an hour. And then	
		17 when I returned to my cart, I sat down, slid across the seat	
		18 like I did every night, and I felt something wet on my seat.	
		19 And it took me a second to process it. I got back up and there	
		20 was feces all over my seat, all over my pants. There was some	
		21 on my hands.	
		22 Q. And did you report this incident of finding feces on your	
		23 cart to anyone at Tesla?	
		24 A. I did.	
		25 Q. Who did you report that to?	

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